Chase Home Museum of Utah Folk Arts

Access Guide

Please note: as of Spring 2020 the Chase Home is closed to visitors because of the COVID-19 Pandemic. If you would like to request a virtual tour, please fill out our <u>Tour Request Form</u>.

Location

1150 S Constitution Dr. (inside Liberty Park) Salt Lake City, UT 84105

Accessibility Coordinator

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Getting there and Getting Around

- 1. Entrances, Parking & Pathways
 - a. The Chase Home is located inside Liberty Park. Entrances to the park are on the North side at 900 South and 600 East and the South side at 1300 South and 600 East.
 - b. There are two parking lots with paved sidewalk access to the museum. Each is located about 50 feet from the museum entrance.
- 2. Public Transit
 - a. There are a number of bus stops near Liberty Park. For the closest on your route, use the UTA trip planner found at https://www.rideuta.com/rider-tools/trip-planner. Please note that the destination should be set to Chase Home Museum of Utah Folk Arts, or 900 S 600 E Salt Lake City, Utah.
- 3. Visitors with Limited Mobility
 - a. Entry to the museum is via stairs or ramp, both located at the museum front entrance.

- b. The first floor of the museum is wheelchair/stroller accessible. The second floor is only accessible via stairs. The Chase Home Museum does not have an elevator, nor is it equipped with lifts.
- c. A tour of the museum requires brief periods and movement and standing. Seating is provided in all galleries.

4. Restrooms

a. At this time, the museum does not have accessible, barrier-free restrooms. Restrooms are available at various locations in Liberty Park.

5. Sensory Accessibility

- a. The museum galleries are lit by overhead lights that are focused on the object. There is no music playing in the galleries, but there are some ambient sounds from other visitors to the park and museum. Visitors are encouraged to bring their own appropriate sensory soothing tools. An appropriate sensory tool would be one that does not cause harm to other patrons, the museum, or the objects on display.
- b. Sensory-friendly tours may be requested using our **Tour Request Form**.

6. Service Animals

- a. Service animals that are trained to do work or perform tasks for a person with a disability are welcome in the museum. Non-service animals, or pets whose function is to provide emotional support and comfort are not permitted.
- b. In order to bring a service animal into the Chase Home Museum of Utah Folk Arts, the animal must be harnessed, leashed or tethered, unless the device interferes with the service animal's work or the individual's disability prevents the use of the harness.
- c. A water bowl for service animals can be provided upon request.

Accommodations Available Upon Request

- 1. Guided tours that are sensory friendly
- 2. Printed gallery guides and large-print labels
- 3. Touch tours and activities for all ages

Accommodations Request Policies

- 1. Requests should be made via <u>Tour Request Form</u>, email, or phone. Please allow our staff to review the request for 24-48 hours before a response is expected.
- 2. Any accommodation requests that are not readily available should be made at least 2 weeks prior to the visit.
- 3. When we are not able to meet accommodation requests, we will communicate that deficiency honestly and respectfully. We will also make note of each request

for future accessibility planning. We respect the privacy of our guests and only share necessary information with staff as needed.